

Amendment No. 2 to HB1872

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1836

House Bill No. 1872*

by deleting § 71-5-1105(d)(4) from the amendatory language of Section 2 and substituting instead the following:

(4)

(A) Solely from funds remaining in the trust fund as of June 30, 2016, payments, and expenditures in the TennCare program as follows:

(i) In the total amount of five hundred eighty-seven thousand nine hundred dollars (\$587,900) to maintain reimbursement at the emergency care rate for nonemergent care to children aged twelve (12) to twenty-four (24) months to avoid the reduction described in the governor's FY 2016-2017 recommended budget;

(ii) In the total amount of two million one hundred one thousand dollars (\$2,101,000) to the bureau to offset the elimination of the provision in the TennCare managed care contractor risk agreements for hospitals as follows:

"CRA 2.12.9.60-Specify in applicable provider agreements that all providers who participate in the federal 340B program give TennCare MCOs the benefit of 340B pricing.";

(B) Solely from funds remaining in the trust fund as of June 30, 2016, after expenditures have been made pursuant to subdivision (d)(4)(A):

(i) First, to the extent that funds permit, up to the total amount of three million dollars (\$3,000,000) to fund critical access hospital charity costs for FY 2015-2016; and

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(ii) After expenditures have been made under subdivision (d)(4)(B)(i), to the extent that funds remain, up to the total amount of three million dollars (\$3,000,000) for reimbursement to offset a portion of the remaining critical access hospital charity costs; and

(C) Expenditures authorized under this subdivision (d)(4) shall be in addition to expenditures otherwise authorized under subdivisions (d)(1)-(3); and